Plucky Merrimac Hero Still Thinks They Will Raise the Colon.

ALL THE BAGS BURST.

One with Air Valves Collapsed at Six Pounds Pressure,

Lieutenant Richmond Pearson Hobson ent six hours on the Merritt pier at tapleton, S. I., yesterday, trying to test the weight-mising capacity of air bags made of a combination of rubber and can-His experiments on this line, which has been making for a number of days. Spanish cruiser Cristobal Colon. Three tests were made, but they were all prove a valuable auxiliary in the game of war.

bear a certain pressure to the square nch, and the experiments yesterday were essary to raise a certain weight from given depth. The Heutenant was pre-

ROOSEVELT'S BOOM ALARMING PLATT.

Anti-Machine Republicans Predict the Rough Rider's Nomination.

The enthusiastic reception ascorded Colo nel Theodore Roosevelt on his arrival at Montauk Point has led the Platt machine to fear that during a stampede in the Republican State Convention the Rough Rider

The anti-Platt men are correspondingly delighted.

General McLewee said yesterday: "If the Republicans have sense enough to nominate Roosevelt they will win in a walk. If they nominate Black or any other man who has been named they will be beaten by 450,000 majority. Why, if Roosevelt runs the State will awarm with "Rough Riders." And there will be such a rip roaring campaign as we have not had since the days of the Lincoln Wide Awakes."

Colonel Jerome said: "Platt will yet have to take Roosevelt whether he wants him or not." Roosevelt's boomers are going to tackie the members of the Republican State Committee when it meets on Saturday and tell them that the State is "gone" unless "Teddy" is placed at the head of the ticket. William Brookfield hus, it is said, practically deserted Governor Black.

Oyster Bay, L. I., Aug. 16.—There is talk in this village among some of the prominent residents of having a celebration on the return of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt. The Colonel has a Summer home here, and the residents are proud of his achievements.

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BY STEPHEN CRANE,

JOURNAL WAR CORRESPONDENT.

DONCE, Porto Rico, Aug. 7 (Special Correspondence of the Journal) .- As one of the Journal dispatch boats circled slowly past the war ships and transports into have been surprised and cut to pieces or flures. The bags would not bear the began to array themselves disreputably. They donned breeches of brown duck and dashing. essure, and three of them burst. In shirts of the bues of almost every kind of vegetable, and their bats were slouch, dirty, pite of this discouraging experience, Lieutwisty-wise and a discredit to them. The correspondents also armed themselves. In
our base and without cavalry or guns, Coloenant Hobson still thinks the air bags
the end they somewhat resembled jail birds, which is the business of men good at the

ork of raising the Colon.

The bags were constructed supposedly had arrived two days previously. Upon sighting the formidable group on the quarterSpaniards retreated, and established two





Cars Jumped the Tracks and Seemed About to Crash

'L" train jumped the track for some reason not yet explained, and bumped over ROUGH RIDERS MAY

OFFICERS OBJECT

Subsistence Department Does Not Want Her to Distribute Food Supplies in Havana Province.

Washington, Aug. 16.-Subsistence officers bject to Miss Clara Barton and her Red Cross Association distributing food supplies in Havana Province.

Could Have Cut Our Porto Grand Aeria (.... Athletes All Rico Invading Forces to Pieces.

DONS LACKED BOLDNESS. Vaudeville Stars:

Yankees Were Showered with Flowers by Natives as They Marched Into Town.

Ponce, Porto Rico, Aug. 3 (Corespondence).-Had the Spaniards been enterprising they could have administered evere punishment to the American invading forces here. For a week after the first landing was made at Guanlea we had

Fourth Pennsylvania, advanced out on the companies at Juana Diaz, eight miles away, rear of the town. The Spaniards considerably outnumbered Colonel Hulings's

The enemy d'd not appear. The people remained in the streets and the open-air cafes about the Plaza until the morn ng, singing and making merry.
Columbus spoke truly when he said in 1403 that this island was an earthly paradise. The soil is a rich, deen loam, and the mountain rocks are mostly limestone. Sugar plantations in the bottom-lands and excount and coffee plantations on the hills greet the eye everywhere.

TO MISS BARTON, COLOMBIA AGREES TO PAY THE CLAIM.

Italian Squadron Will Therefore With- toward the mother country. draw and Visit Other

The Subsistence Department, they claim, Rome, Aug. 16 .- Colombia has accepted tentions to their daily avocations in the

ALDERMEN ALL ENTHUSIASM FOR JOURNAL CARNIVAL.

Fireworks bu Pain.

to Ap-

Open Air Concerts by Two

Carnival Headquarters. Entry list closes at 6 p. m. to-

Alderman George A. Burrell, chairman of the Aldermanic Carnival Committee, hus opened headquarters in parlor "81" of Morton House, Broadway and Fourteenth street.
All communications concerning the athletic and vaude-ville programme, or any other

matters connected with the carnival, should be addressed to Mr. Burrell, at the Morton

events are now ready.

Entry blanks for the various

Eager to Compete.

and Bronze Medals.

Bowlers to Be Out in Thousands.

At Yesterday's Meeting of the Aldermen All the Members Heartify Agreed to Make It a Monster Affair.

rearing a substantial tribute to the heroic dead. We hope that every member of this Board will do all in his power to make the carnival a monster success. The friend of every Alderman should cordially covered and the control of the

with the committee in their work."

A.derman Burrell, chairman of the commember present that he would work un. A single quarter will admit to the games, ceasingly to make the affair a great success. Aldermen Hustling.

President Wood said: "I will do every thing in my power to aid the committee. It is for a cause that appeals to all of us. I

"We have provided a varied and intensely interesting programme. It will be the the fireworks, the dancing and the vaudeville. Already we have assurances of a large crowd. Some of the Aldermen report that they cannot get tickets out to their constituents fast enough. Alderman Koch sent for a hundred additional to-day. His experience is only one of many similar ones throughout the city.

Bowlers Working. "The bowling element is very enthusi-astic. I think we will have the biggest Messrs. Johnson and Tackney, of the Bowlers' Journal, report that their friends promise to turn out in thousands. Nearly every prominent bowling club in the city will be

Make Insulting Allusions to Americans.

THE CUBANS ARE FEARED. CONVENTION CALL MADE.

Many Residents of the Island's McCarren Predicts That This Capital Favor Annexation.

Special Cable Dispatch.

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Rome, Aug. 10. Colombia has a series with exemplary discretion and the ensuing gention since the report was received of the signing of the protocol. Havana is transported in the ensuing gention since the report was received of the signing of the protocol. Havana is transported in the ensuing gention and the ensuing gention since the report was received of the signing of the protocol. Havana is transported in the ensuing gention and the ensuing gention since the report was received of the signing of the protocol. Havana is transported in the ensuing gention and the ensuing gention and the ensuing gention since the report was received of the signing of the protocol. Havana is transported in the ensuing gention and the ensuing ge

Alderman Burrell. "I will personally try to make it a monster success." A Tallyho Party. Among the Brooklyn delegation the same enthusiasm prevailed. All of them will be

Havana Papers No Longer Campaign Committee Begins the Task of Organizing the State.

City Will Be Democratic by Over 60,000.

From a Spanish Correspondent. The Democratic electors of the through the Huvana, Aug. 15 (Delayed in Trans-State of New York are requested to fire for fear of killing some of the Cumission). The former roughness of tone mission)-The former roughness of tone unite in sending three delegates that characterized the Havana press in all and three alternates from each Asallusions to America and Americans has sembly district to a State convendisappeared, although these journals still tion to be held at Syracuse Wednesprotect their dignity and reassert their love day, September 28, 1898, at 12 toward the mother country. The Spanish residents in Cuba have con- placing in nomination candidates ducted themselves with exemplary discre- to be voted for at the ensuing gen-

The Subsistence Department, they claim, has a large number of contracts outstanding for supplies, and the Quartermaster's Department has the means for their prompt and adequate delivery.

It was a startling experience for the passengers. Gliding into the terminus at South Ferry last night a Ninth avenue.

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GEN. JOE WHEELER

Says the Criticism of Its Action Was Cruel and Unjust

Gold. Silver NO BRAVER MEN ON EARTH.

They Fought Heroically Under the Most Discouraging Conditions.

General Joe Wheeler, who for over a third of a century has been a military hero younger military men, made New York a conditions prevailing at Santiago. It is even talked that General Wheeler may easily become a peace commissioner, though there is no official verification of

The order to start for Washington was received by the General late Monday night FFICIAL notice of the Aldermanic carnival and the carnival. A party will carnival of sports and vaudeville entertainment which will take place at Sulzer's Harlem River Park on Friday. August 10, in aid of the Journal's Monument Fund, was taken yesterday at the meeting of the Board of Alderman. It was called to the attention of the Board, by Alderman Velton. "We propose," said the Alderman Velton. "We propose," said the Alderman, "to assist in men."

to bed. We were to attack in the early morning. When I sent word to Castille that I was ready he was still asleep, and we went ahead, leaving him to follow with his 200 men when he got ready. They didn't come. Feared Killing Their Allies. fire for fear of killing some of the Cubans. When we struck the enemy we rushed him, and he ran. That is the thing to do every time. I told Shafter on the ship that when we landed we must get at the Spaniards quick: that we had little time to do it in, as there would be yellow fever to fight later on, and we must do what we had to do in a hurry. It, was done that way, and our enemy was afraid of as once he found we meant fight.

"The Spaniards thought they had us, for they were much stronger than we, and were behind earthworks. We drove them out, and after that they were demoralized.

